

VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF MEDICINE

IN RE: MICHAEL D. POLLOCK, D.C.
License No.: 0104-000305

ORDER

In accordance with Sections 54.1-2400(10), 2.2-4019 and 2.2-4021 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code"), an informal conference was held with Michael D. Pollock, D.C., on January 5, 2005, in Richmond, Virginia. Members of the Virginia Board of Medicine ("Board") serving on the Special Conference Committee ("Committee") were: Jerry Willis, D.C., Chairman; Carol Comstock, R.N.; and J. Thomas Hulvey, M.D. Dr. Pollock appeared personally and was represented by Michael L. Goodman, Esquire. The purpose of the informal conference was to inquire into allegations that Dr. Pollock may have violated certain laws governing the practice of chiropractic in the Commonwealth of Virginia and to review his compliance with the terms and conditions of indefinite probation imposed upon his license to practice medicine pursuant to an Order of the Board entered September 10, 2003. These matters are set forth in a Notice of Informal Conference dated November 12, 2004.

FINDINGS OF FACT

Now, having properly considered the evidence and statements presented, the Committee makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law:

1. Michael D. Pollock, D.C., was issued license number 0104-000305 to practice chiropractic in Virginia on January 16, 1981. Said license is current and will expire on October 31, 2006 unless renewed or otherwise restricted.

2. The Committee thoroughly reviewed and discussed Dr. Pollock's compliance with Term 1 of the Board's Order and his use of chaperones. Based on this review and the review of documentation provided, the Committee determined that Dr. Pollock's compliance with Term 1 was adequate and his explanations regarding the documentation discrepancies were reasonable.

3. Dr. Pollock fully complied with Term 2 of the Board's Order, in that he successfully completed a Board approved course, sponsored by Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, Tennessee, entitled, "Maintaining Proper Boundaries" on April 28-30, 2004. Dr. Pollock was awarded twenty and one-half (20.5) hours of Category I continuing medical education ("CME") for this course.

4. The Committee determined that Dr. Pollock was in compliance with Term 3 of the Board's Order.

5. Dr. Pollock fully complied with Term 4 of the Board's Order, in that he submitted the required \$1000.00 monetary penalty on or about December 1, 2003.

6. Dr. Pollock participates in his monthly support program with Sherman Master, M.D., who reports that Dr. Pollock continues to progress in his understanding and insight into the issues that led to the Board action.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Committee concludes that Dr. Pollock is properly before it and it is responsible for reviewing and approving all information relative to the terms of the Board's Order.

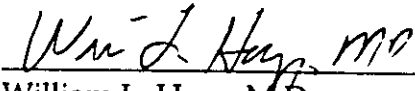
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WHEREFORE, it is hereby ORDERED that the terms and conditions imposed upon Dr. Pollock's license are TERMINATED and that his license is REINSTATED to a full and unrestricted status with all attendant rights and privileges.

Pursuant to Section 54.1-2400(10) of the Code, Dr. Pollock may, not later than 5:00 p.m., on February 10, 2005, notify William L. Harp, M.D., Executive Director, Board of Medicine, 6603 West Broad Street, Richmond, Virginia 23230, in writing that he desires a formal administrative hearing before the Board. Upon the filing with the Executive Director of a request for the hearing, this Order shall be vacated.

Therefore, this Order shall become final on February 10, 2005, unless a request for a formal administrative hearing is received as described above.

FOR THE BOARD



William L. Harp, M.D.
Executive Director
Virginia Board of Medicine

ENTERED: 1/7/05